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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2026
INFO AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINR, PINT, UR, AR
SUBJECT: LOCATION FAMILY ASSISTANCE

REF: (A) STATE 018170 (B) STATE 018170

1. APPLICATION OF ESTHER BENTOSA FAMILY WAS OPEN
COMPLETED BY LOCAL INTERPOL STATISTICS OF ASSOCIATED
PRESS AND CONTACT IN BUENOS AIRES IS NEGATIVE SO FAR.
NOT DISTRIBUTED WIDE IN U.S.

2. RELATIVES AND FRIENDS OF DISAPPEARED FAMILY HAVE
BEEN ASKED TO CONTACT EMBASSY IMMEDIATELY TO OBTAIN
SECRETARIAL DATA AND INFORMATION OF FAMILY. AS
OF 1800 HRS FEB 6, THE FAMILY-FRIENDS HAVE
CROSSED OUT OF ARGENTINA INTO MONTEVIDEO AND CIUDAD
DE SALTO MEMORIALISTS. UNCLEAR RELATIONS ARE RETURNING TO
MONTEVIDEO.

3. EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED CONSUL (PUBLIC AFFAIRS)
MAKE TRIP TO LOCATION INTERVIEW FAMILY.
CONSULATE DISPATCHED FROM U.S. [illegible]. ENCLOSURES
COPIES OF DOCUMENTS MADE AVAILABLE AND CONSULATE. POUCH
REQUESTED TO MAKE INQUIRY AND REPORT ANY DEVELOPMENTS ASAP.

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4. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE NAME OF [illegible]

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REPRESENTING FAMILY.

S. ENDOFF CONTACTED DEUTSCH'S BUSINESS NOON SEPTEMBER 6 AND TOLD THAT FAMILY WAS STILL "DISAPPEARED" AND THAT THERE WAS NO NEWS.
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